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1. GROUP FO 77 HAS ACCEPTED APPROXIMATELY HALF OF THE SOVIETS AMENDMENTS TO THE REPORT. (ALREADY TRANSMITTED WITH RESPECT TO PREAMBLE IN REF (B). AMB. MOYNIHAN PARTICIPATED IN MEETING WITH OTHER HEADS OF WEO DELEGATES AND CHAIRMAN PRONK TO DISCUSS SOVIET AMENDMENTS TENTATIVELY ACCEPTED BY G-77. US INDICATED ITS ABSOLUTE OBJECTIONS TO LANGUAGE ON SEVERAL MAJOR POINTS AS DISCUSSED BELOW.

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2. US DEL SAW NO OBJECTION TO ACCEPTING FOLLOWING NEW 5TH

PREAMBULAR PARAGRAPH:

"RECOGNIZING THAT EFFORTS AIMED AT ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND GREATER COOPERATION AMONG STATES IN THE FIELD OF TRADE, INDUSTRY, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AS WELL AS IN OTHER FIELD OF ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES CONTRIBUTE TO STRENGTHENING PEACE AND AND SECURITY IN THE WHOLE WORLD."

3. SOVIETS PROPOSE SUBSTITUTION OF WORD "CONVINCED" FOR "CONFIDENT" AS ACTION WORD OF G-77 PREAMBULAR PARA 6. THAT PARAGRAPH PRESENTS PROBLEMS BECAUSE OF ITS REFERENCE TO THE NIEO, BUT IF OBJECTIONABLE FEATURES WERE CHANGED, WE WOULD SEE NO DIFFICULTY IN ACCEPTING SOVIET AMENDMENT.

4. US SAID KT WOULD NOT ACCEPT THE NEW PARAGRAPH 7.
TEXT FOLLOWS:

"CONFIDENT THAT THE NEW INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC ORDER BASED ON EQUITY, SOVEREIGN EQUALITY, TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY, INTERDEPENDENCE, COMMON INTEREST AND COOPERATION AMONG ALL STATES, IRRESPECTIVE OF THEIR ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL SYSTEMS, SHALL CORRECT INEQUALITIES AND REDRESS EXISTING INJUSTICES, MAKE IT POSSIBLE TO ELIMINATE THE WIDENING GAP BETWEEN THE DEVELOPED AND THE DEVELOPING COUNTRIES AND ENSURE STEADILY ACCELERATING ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE AND JUSTICE FOR PRESENT AND FUTURE GENERATIONS."

5. IN SECTION ON INTERNATIONAL TRADE SOVIETS PROPOSE ADDING THE FOLLOWING NEW PARA 8:
"FURTHER EXPANSION OF TRADE BETWEEN THE SOCIALIST AND THE DEVELOPING COUNTRIES SHOULD BE INTENSIFIED AS IS PROVIDED BY UNCTAD RESOLUTIONS 15(II) AND 53(III). ADDITIONAL MEASURES AND NEW ORIENTATION TO ACHIEVE THIS END ARE NECESSARY."
WE WOULD APPRECIATE VERIFICATION AS TO OUR RESERVATIONS, IF ANY, ON UNCTAD RESOLUTION 15(II) AND 53(III). WE ARE INCLINED TO OPPOSE SECOND SENTENCE OF THIS NEW PARA EVEN IF WE ACCEPT THE PARAGRAPH, SINCE IT APPEARS TO BE AN ATTEMPT BY THE SOVIETS TO GIVE ADDITIONAL WEIGHT TO THEIR ARGUMENT THAT TRADE BETWEEN COUNTRIES HAVING DIFFERENT ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL SYSTEMS SHOULD BE INCLUDED ON THE AGENDA OF UNCTAD IV. WE PLAN TO OBJECT, BUT WILL ACCEPT THE PARAGRAPH UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED.

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6. IN THE SECTION ON SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY SOVIETS WISH TO REDRAFT PARA 8 AS FOLLOWS:
"THE UNITED NATIONS SYSTEM SHOULD PLAY A MAJOR ROLE, WITH APPROPRIATE FINANCING, IN ACHIEVING THE ABOVE STATED OBJECTIVES, IN DEVELOPING THE SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL COOPERATION BETWEEN ALL STATES, IN ORDER TO ENSURE THE APPLICATION OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE DEVELOPING COUNTRIES."

SOVIET INTENTION IS CLEARLY TO STRIKE AT THE EXPORT CONTROLS ON TECHNOLOGY OF THE US AND OTHER WEO COUNTRIES. WE ARE PREPARED TO OPPOSE THE AMENDMENT BUT BELIEVE THAT ITS INCLUSION COULD AS EASILY BACKFIRE ON THE SOVIETS, SINCE WE COULD RESPOND TO ANY OBJECTIONS THEY MIGHT RAISE ABOUT OUR TECHNOLOGY EXPORT CONTROLS WITH OBJECTIONS TO THEIR RESTRAINTS ON THE FREE FLOW OF SCIENTISTS AND SCIENTIFIC INFORMATION. GUIDANCE WOULD BE APPRECIATED.

7. IN THE SECTION ON INDUSTRIALIZATION, SOVIETS PROPOSE TO ADD THE FOLLOWING NEW PARA AFTER PARA4:
"DUE ATTENTION SHOULD BE PAID TO ENSURE AN ADEQUATE ROLE FOR THE STATE IN THE DIRECTION OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AND THE PUBLIC SECTOR IN EXPANSION OF INDUSTRIES AS WELL AS TO THE NEED TO ELABORATE MEASURES BY WHICH PRIVATE AND FOREIGN INVESTMENT COULD BE EFFECTIVELY USED IN ORDER TO ACHIEVE OBJECTIVES OF NATIONAL ECONOMY DEVELOPMENT PLANS."
WE FIND THIS PARA ALMOST IMPERTINENT CONSIDERING THE SLIGHT CONTRIBUTION THE SOVIETS HAVE MADE TO THE WORK OF THIS SESSION OR TO DEVELOPMENT OF LDC'S. HOWEVER, IT IS A VERY CLOSE PARAPHRASE OF PARA 58(N), PAGE 12 OF THE LIMA DECLARATION ON INDUSTRIALIZATION. IT WAS ACCEPTED THERE WITHOUT ANY US RESERVATIONS. WE PLAN TO OPPOSE INCLUSION OF THE PARA, AT LEAST INITIALLY.

8. IN THE SECTION ON FOOD AND AGRICULTURE THE SOVIETS PROPOSE TO ADD THE FOLLOWING NEW PARA 12:
"PROPOSING THE RECOMMENDATIONS CONTAINED IN PARAGRAPHS 1-11 OF THIS CHAPTER, THE SEVENTH SPECIAL SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY PROCEEDED FROM THE UNDERSTANDING THAT THE PROPOSED MEASURES WOULD FULLY TAKE INTO ACCOUNT THE CONTENTS AND THE SPIRIT OF THE RELEVANT RESOLUTIONS OF THE WORLD FOOD COUNCIL ON ITS FIRST SESSION WHICH ARE IN THE INTEREST OF THE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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DEVELOPING COUNTRIES."
COMMENTS WOULD BE APPRECIATED.
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